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Health Board Lays Down Law On Septic Tanks

Engineering Director Takes Slop At Glades Conditions

A Florida bureaucrat in the enthusiasm and pomposity of his position, and before a dependent and selected audience "blew his top" last week with statements derogatory to the Glades and highly unbecomingly to a public servant, even if they are indicative of the man's thinking.

"For years I tried to keep people from moving to the Everglades," was one statement; another, "Those who need help most do not want it."

This reminds us of the time Nathan Mayo was "misquoted" about people living in the Glades; Nathan had the intellectual fortitude to apologize for the public misinterpretation of his remarks. We wonder if gentleness is still found in the offices of public servants at the state level?

On Septic Tanks
According to City Engineer John Pickett, the State Board of Health has made a ruling which means substantially that FHA or Veterans' Administration loans on buildings with septic tanks are "a thing of the past in the mucklands."

Mr. Pickett reports that at a meeting in West Palm Beach last Friday, David B. Lee, Jacksonville, director of the Bureau of Sanitary Engineering of the State Board of Health, speaking of septic tanks, said:

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GLADES FIVE AND TEN FRESH FROM REMODELING
The Glades Five and Ten Cent Store on Avenue A, after remodeling, painting and freshening up in general, is ready for a big "Back to School" sale.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Forrest, the owners, say they want to build up the numerous departments of the store to "something the Glades can be proud of." They are turning special attention to fabrics; and so far, the results are eye-catching. Also for women who like to "see their own," the store carries McCall patterns.

Glades Historical Epoch Passes With Hillsboro Auction
New blood, new ideas, and new (and plenty of) money are necessary to develop any frontier; and Florida, America's last frontier, has been so for years.

New blood, ideas, and money work well together, especially when the money is in the hands of people who are not afraid to get to the disposal of those with ideas.

Oil from peanuts, as well as the hay interested the Brown brothers of Brown Paper Company and some 70-odd thousands of acres were purchased from the I. I. Board, after extensive research and study by engineers and scientists. Collateral with peanut growing, vegetable farming in the Glades received that stimulus of ideas and money most necessary in experimental agriculture.

Many present-day crops were first planted commercially after expensive experiments at (Continued on Page 2)

IMOGENE FONTAINE TO ATTEND SHORT COURSE

Imogene Fontaine, Interviewer at the Florida State Employment Office here will leave Sunday for a short course in the University of Florida from September 10 to 23. This course, designed to supplement interview training opportunities of employment interviewers, counselors and other personnel workers, will be conducted by the General Extension Division of Florida, in cooperation with the College of Arts and Sciences and the Florida State Employment Service.

Barry Egan, Assistant Professor of Psychology and Education, University of Florida will be in charge of instruction. Employment counseling, supplemented with aptitude and interest testing, is offered by the local employment office to the unemployed who need it. These persons, in general, are young inexperienced job seekers, or veterans, or older workers who for various reasons find it necessary to make an occupational change.

Good Market For Cattle Monday Despite Holiday
Despite the holiday, 307 cattle were sold at auction at the Glades Livestock Market on Monday, Labor Day, this week.

The total included 8 heifers, 8 cows, 222 steers, 21 calves, 5 bulls, and 50 yearlings. Prices for stocker and slaughter steers were as follows:

Slaughter Cattle
Steers—Common, \$15.00-26.00; Utility 21-24.50; Cutter 16.00-18.00; Canner 12.50-17.00.
Stocker Cattle
Steers—Medium 19.00-21.50; Common 17.75-20.00; Inferior 12.00-15.50.

Commission Votes Tentative Budget Of \$286,265.33

A tentative budget of \$286,265.33 was adopted on Tuesday night by the City Commission, which had previously met in numerous heavy sessions to consider estimated revenues for 1952-53 and to whittle down proposed expenditures to size.

The budget, which will be finally adopted at the next meeting of the Commission, includes \$71,000 for Street Department expenditures; \$46,600 for the Police Department; \$37,450 for the Fire Department; \$10,000 for the Board of Public Works; and \$28,500 for the Fire Department.

The Commission also has set up a tentative budget of \$101,250 for the Water Department, based on anticipated revenues from water service for the coming year.

Other Commission actions in their Tuesday night session, at which Commissioner Carlton was absent, owing to illness, were:

Approved the following applications for licenses: Bennett (Continued on Page 4)

NEWS OF GLADES BOYS AND GIRLS IN THE SERVICE

has been stationed at Hunter Field, Savannah, Ga., for the last year and a half is being transferred to overseas service in England. He left Sunday for Savannah and expected to ship out some time this week. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Woodham of Hillsboro, Alabama were here for a visit with him before he left. Mr. Woodham will remain in the area with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mathewson in his absence.

Ave. "A" To Go Back To Angular Parking System

Change Voted Tuesday At Request Of City Merchants

There will soon be no more parallel parking on Avenue A. The City Commission at its Tuesday night session voted to reinstate angular parking, and to spend up to \$700 to move parking meters to accommodate the return to the old-fashioned system.

The move was made at the request of merchants on the Avenue, who say their business has fallen off since the innovation of parallel parking two years ago.

Paul Kirk, George Scarborough, and Grady Edwards agreed before the Commission to request the change. Kirk acted as spokesman for the group, which claimed to represent 80 to 85 percent of the merchants along the Avenue.

"I've seen here because we have suffered just about long enough," he said. "The ladies—God bless 'em—just can't parallel park; and that therefore take their shopping lists elsewhere."

The Commission heard Chief of Police Charles Goodlett, who said that with a sharper angle, the conventional 45 degree, Avenue A could accommodate the change. Avenue A is only 48 feet wide.

The Commission drew diagrams and played with matchboxes as stand-ins for cars, trying at various angles of 45, 60, and 90 degrees before voting the change. The City Attorney, in drafting the ordinance, is to exclude trucks from loading or unloading on the (Continued on Page Four)

COTILLION CLUB DANCE TOMORROW
Another in the series of Cotillion Club dances will be held tomorrow night at the Country Club. The dancing will be from 10 to 12 with the usual West Palm Beach orchestra on hand to furnish live melodies.

AT 40-MILE BEND HE REMEMBERED
Melvin Livengood, P.A.M. Movie Company executive director, of Red Cross, brought a movie projector with him to the Lions Club luncheon meeting Wednesday at the Beach. Mr. Livengood also brought a movie screen. Only thing he forgot to bring was the film itself, a disaster picture which he had intended to illustrate his talk on Red Cross activities.

Mr. Livengood, who said he realized at Twenty-Mile Bend (an inconvenient place) that he had forgotten the picture, had to act out his own illustrations, a Lion member said. Livengood spoke not only of Red Cross assistance during disasters, but also of the day-to-day work that Red Cross does.

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NEW PASTOR OF CHURCH OF GOD
The Rev. G. P. Price, 349 SE 3rd Street, arrived here last week from Panama City, Fla. Price is new pastor of the Church of God here, replacing Rev. A. R. Heaton, who has been transferred to Land of Lakes.

At MRTC, the Army's only medical training school for medical enlistment men, he will receive eight weeks of basic infantry training and eight weeks of basic medical training.

GARDEN CLUB EXPECTS BEST SEASON EVER

The Belle Glade Garden Club will open its fall season with a covered-dish luncheon at the Community Clubhouse on Thursday, Sept. 11, at 12:30 noon.

A contest will be held on the arrangement of flowers or fruit for picnic tables. The specimen contest will be on zinnias. A plant exchange will also be another feature of the meeting.

All members are urged to attend this opening session.

The various committees have been busy making plans for the coming year, which promises to be the best the club has ever had.

Glades members of the 318th Logistical Command, area Organized Reserve Corps unit, recently returned from two weeks at Camp Rucker, Ala. Left to right, standing, are Major Maurice Fletcher, Cleveland; and Major E. M. Lively and Capt. W. A. Wooten of Belle Glade. Bottom row: 2nd Lt. George Wedgworth, Warrenton Officer Junius T. Harris, and 1st Lt. Emmett Roberts, all three of Belle Glade.

Ten Days Added To Waterfowl Hunting Season This Year
Florida hunters will have 10 extra days this year for the shooting of ducks, geese and coots, according to the latest bird regulations established by the Federal Wildlife authorities and released last week by the State Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission.

The regulations also revealed that the hunters would be allowed to shoot a daily limit of three Canada geese this year, where last year sportsmen were permitted to take only two Canadas.

The season for ducks, geese and coots opens Nov. 17, five days earlier than last year, and ends on Jan. 10, five days later than the 1951-52 closing date. Shooting will begin at noon of the opening day for all three species, with the daily hours thereafter being from half-hour before sunrise to one hour before sunset.

Day's bag for ducks will be 10, for one of which may be a woodcock; for geese, 3 Canada and 3 Blue; and coots, 10. Possession limit will be two ducks, one goose and one day's bag for ducks and coots.

Ben McLaughlin, director of the Game Commission, said that hunting for the migratory birds would be allowed every day. He warned all hunters that a duck stamp is necessary for taking ducks and geese.

Other Federal regulations for the taking of migratory birds are: shotguns must be plugged 3-inch caliber; the use of rifles is prohibited, and the migratory birds may not be taken within one-half mile of any place where salt or feed may attract birds is placed, exposed, distributed, scattered or present at any time within two weeks prior to the open season on such birds.

Registration Of Pupils Will Be Completed Monday
This week, first graders, and high school juniors and seniors were registered for the opening of school. Next Monday, Sept. 8, all other grades will be registered; and in addition, say Frank O. Hobson, principal, those juniors, seniors, and first graders who missed out on Wednesday's registration this week must not fail to enroll Monday.

Classes will start Tuesday. Buses will start running their regular routes on the opening day, and registration of all pupils will be finished between the hours of 8:30 a. m. and 12 noon Monday.

The following rooms have been arranged for the registration of the various grades: New High School Building, Rooms 5 and 6, 9th and 10th grades; Old High School Building, Rooms 7 and 8, 8th grade; Rooms 12 and 13, 7th grade; Rooms 14 and 15, 6th grade; 5th grade; and room 5, 4th grade.

Elementary Building
Room 1, 3rd grade; room 4, 2nd grade.

Legion Post 20 Hears Finance Officer Report

The net worth of American Legion Everglades Post 20 is nearly \$50,000, it was reported by Finance Officer N. B. Willis at the Post meeting on Tuesday evening, when Legionnaires heard his report for the fiscal year ended August 31, 1952.

Major assets include the Legion Hall and grounds, valued at \$38,000, and the Post Office Building, valued at \$11,000, for a total of \$49,000. Besides this, a smattering of lots, small accounts for the equipment of the Legion Hall, and accounts for the rest, which adds up to the sum of \$9,000.

On the opposite side of the ledger, which should not worry Legionnaires too much, are Legions Federal mortgage at

City Commission Election Just Around Corner
City Commission candidates for the two seats from North and South Glades will be out stumping this week, getting ready for the election next Tuesday, Sept. 9, at American Legion Post 20.

In North Borough, Harold Rubin is a strong contestant for the seat presently held by W. F. "Burr" Crider. Other contenders are William Thibault and Bailey Parish.

In Central Borough, the first fight is between Walter Ashby, present incumbent, and Milton Burry, Kilgore Company manager, who offers voters a combination of qualifications.

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Acceleration Of Florida Flood Control Projects Orlando Subject, Sept. 19

Legislative Forum To Conclude Statewide Chamber Hotel At Orange Court Hotel

A meeting of the Flood and Water Control Committee of the State Chamber of Commerce has been called at Orlando, September 19, at 9:30 a. m., at the Orange Court Hotel for the discussion of "Acceleration of Florida Flood Control Projects."

Highlighting the meeting will be a forum or round table discussion with representatives John Bollinger of West Palm Beach, and participated in by Senators Holland and Smathers and the seven members of the House of Representatives in Washington, as well as all Florida legislators interested.

Among the specific subjects to be covered will be the Jim Woodruff and the Upper St. Johns River Valley, that part of the Central and South Florida District north of Lake Okechobee and the St. Lucie Canal will also come in for major discussion.

An attempt will be made to clear the consolidated efforts of Florida's Washington and Tallahassee districts on the overall program for the State.

The lower East Coast of Florida will also be discussed, in for consideration, also, they will fit into the general picture of acceleration.

Senator Holland, Florida's most effective wielder of federal funds in Washington will be prominent in the discussions, as will be Senator Smathers, his legislative sidekick, and the Lower House boys interested in their own particular picture of acceleration.

Bob Creech, Ruth Wedgworth, Robert Kers, Ralph Blank, Lamar Johnson, Turner Wallis and R. V. Patterson, are among the Florida legislators on the committee, with Bernie Benzel and several East Coast residents. Other members are from the other interested localities in Florida.

Luther Jones, is Chairman of the committee, and will preside at the Orlando meeting.

The U. S. Engineers from both the Jacksonville and Mobile districts will discuss engineering problems and plans for the several projects, and the non-political tax payers will also have a shot at the discussions. All this will be followed by a luncheon, after which will attend the meeting.

Governor Fuller Warren and governor-elect Dan McCarry are expected to attend also. (Continued on Page Four)

Red Blinkers Now Up On All Four Death-Trap Spans
Well, they did it. Last Friday red blinkers lights were installed on three Glades Bridges, those at Canal Point, Lake Harbor, and South Bay. The blinkers installed are similar to those previously put up at Six-Mile Bend earlier this year, after a fatal accident took the lives of five persons.

A cruise around the highways also discovers new road signs payable. Total liabilities are \$41,628.80.

Included in a separate account of income and expenditures was the rental on the post office building, which brings the Legion an income of about \$2,500 a year.

WATER COOLER BOUGHT FOR NEW HIGH SCHOOL

The Lions Club voted at their business session Wednesday to buy and install immediately a water cooler in the new high school building. It will be responsible for putting a cooler in the older high school building when it was finished.

SEVENTEEN CALLED FOR PREINDUCTION
Seventeen men from this area, together with four transferees will be forwarded to the Miami Examining and Induction Center on September 11, 1952 for preinduction examination.

Mrs. F. W. Quinn, Local Board Clerk, requests that all registrants installed at the local board office on September 11, at 9:15 a. m. sharp to answer roll call.

The Logistical Command is something new in army methods, coordinates the supply and administrative services for combat teams in the field, thus relieving the commanding general of the combat duties of the problem of handling their own supplies.

At Camp Rucker, the 318th Logistical Command had under its command some 40 other Reserve units from six southeastern states.

Legionnaires at the meeting also made plans for the installation of officers at South Bay, when Belle Glade, South Bay, Pahokee, Canal Point, and Clewiston posts will take part in the ceremonies.

Detroit Fugitive Arrested Here By Officers And FBI
Two FBI men and five Belle Glade police officers last Saturday afternoon arrested a Detroit man, wanted by the FBI for the theft of a safe plus a pickup truck with which to haul the safe away from the F. B. office in Detroit.

The fugitive, James Kenneth Ruby, was taken into custody at the residence of his brother Joe (Continued on Page Four)

"POP" KIRCHMAN HOSPITALIZED
F. W. "Pop" Kirchman, long-time resident of Chosen, was admitted to Belle Glade Hospital last Thursday. According to his son, August, Mr. Kirchman has been suffering from a glandular ailment for the past two years, needs an operation, but is still too weak to undergo surgery.

Mr. Kirchman, whose blood sugar is high, has been in the past week. He is being treated by Dr. R. L. Pipes.

Two Former Rams Begin Training With Florida Gators This Week
Two Belle Glade football players who last year were in the top half of their freshman class in the University of Florida, left last weekend for Gainesville to start in fall training with the University football squad. They are Bill Burke and Ross Winne, Jr., both of whom hold scholarships from the University.

Regular workouts with the Florida team under the direction of Coach Bob Woodruff, however, will find the boys with no slack muscles, they hope. Both have been pushing barbells, doing pushups, wind sprints, and other exercises to keep in trim during the summer.

Both boys developed as football players during their year with the fighting Rams here, when both received football scholarships from the University. Burke is majoring in physical education, while Winne is preparing for a career in chemical engineering.

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Glades Evacuation During Hurricanes To Be Discussed
On Monday, September 15, at 9:30 a. m., the Glades evacuation committee will discuss the evacuation of the Glades during hurricanes. The plan called for evacuation of the Glades during hurricanes. The plan called for evacuation of the Glades during hurricanes.

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Activities of Glades Scouts

At a meeting of the Central Committee for Girl Scouts held on July 1, 1952, a number of resolutions were accepted from persons serving as officers in the past, and the following officers were elected to serve for the coming year.

Chairman—Mrs. A. B. McCormick. Vice-Chairman—Mrs. Herbert Beck. Sec. Treas.—Mrs. R. J. Allen, Jr. Hut Custodian—Mrs. C. W. McDonald. Publicity—Mrs. Walter Tamm and Mrs. George Young. Ways and Means—Mrs. R. J. Allen, Jr. and Mr. N. B. Willis. Transportation—Mr. Robert Murray. Maintenance—Mr. E. C. Mapp. Consultant—Mrs. A. E. Kirchman.

The Belle Glade Herald has reserved space for Scout news and through this column, the public will be informed of the girls' activities, needs, and progress, as well as meetings of general interest.

The Girl Scout Council of the Palm Beaches has agreed to assist us in any way possible. They have invited us to attend

their training course in September. If you are interested in taking any of this training open to you and have not yet arranged transportation, please call 2830.

In addition, the Girl Scout Council of the Palm Beaches has lent the Central Committee a film on girl scouting, which was shown to the American Legion Auxiliary of Belle Glade at a recent meeting. After seeing the film, the Auxiliary voted to sponsor Girl Scouts in Belle Glade.

Books have been ordered for the use of the committee members in studying their job on the committee and to help in training all adults who will be helping in scouting. Numerous volunteers have been contacted and signed up as consultants to assist the leaders in the various activities they will promote during the year. An assessment of program material has been collected and will be stored in the Scout hut, available to all leaders.

Effective September 1, 1952, the Girl Scout Hut will not be used for any purpose other than those associated with Girl Scouting. Some preliminary repairs must be made on the hut before the girls can begin their project of redecorating. The presence of insects has made overhauling the hut very unpleasant and therefore the hut will be inspected to see what extermination steps are necessary. Mr. E. C. Mapp will check on the carpenter repairs needed, and Mr. Robert Murray will check on the electrical work that is needed for painting the interior. Mr. Cone of Cone's Paint Store has promised the girls can begin their project of painting the walls. Mr. Garland Berryhill has given time and material, and has repaired

the electric range in the hut. Insofar as possible, this advance work is being done while the potential leaders and assistants are taking training so that we will be ready to provide a good program for our girls this year.

WASHINGTON NEWS LETTER

From

 U.S.

WASHINGTON — When I climbed into the flying clipper at Paris last week to begin my flight back to this country, I experienced a sense of elation which has remained with me since.

I had spent three weeks in Europe and I felt more ennobled than at any time since the end of World War II about conditions over there.

The definite impression has stayed with me that the dollar, the American people have sent to Europe, in the interests of world peace and world economic stability which affects all of us, has been well spent—and that the end of such aid is definitely in sight.

It seemed to me that circumstances which make it possible for the Communist Party to exist and thrive in the United States are the threat of world-wide Communist domination is diminishing.

My travels and my unofficial talks with many people, I was buoyed by the unmitigated spirit of optimism and the absence of war jitters.

I would not wish anyone to gain the impression that I am making any official report, did not go to Europe in an official capacity, and that I had in 1949 to observe life on the continent, and I found it well worth the personal cost to me that it gave me an understanding of the most valuable in considering the author's autobiography, and I paid my own way again this year in order that I might reveal completely free to make my own private observations, and with no obligations to make reports. I have brought to the Senate and House members who have made these trips at government expense.

Tune in — BOGART BACALL

"BOLD VENTURE"

WSWN on Your Dial Saturday 12:30 p. m. Brought to You by GLADES APPLIANCE CORPORATION

Let me merely report that I did not. I spent most of our time in Ireland, England, France and Spain. We visited the three great capitals — London, Paris and Madrid. We travelled around and did a lot of sight-seeing. But in so doing we visited and talked with many people. In several other articles regarding this trip, I will tell you what some of them said.

Whether conditions as I found them are to remain, and whether the optimism which was conveyed to me, is soundly based, or is lasting, I do not know.

I believe I can say positively that our Marshall Plan program in Europe has been a success. I think this program — under the Economic Security Administration — has done lasting good. ECA people have done a terrific job. There is a sense of pride in the American people can be proud of what has been accomplished with their tax dollars.

In the very near future, possibly next year, it seems probable to me that direct money assistance to most of Europe can be halted. We must still support the military aid program under the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. All the aspects of these programs will be fully reviewed by the Congress next year but I see definite signs of a change in direction, concept, magnitude, and procedures for this program. It is a development I feel confident the American people will welcome.

BOOK ON FAMOUS BROTHER INSCRIBED TO WIFE OF FLA. FOODS PRESIDENT

"To Emma Eileen Osking" is the title of a dedication of a book on the life of the famous aviator, Lt. Carl Ben Eielson, famous aviator who piloted the first flight over the Arctic and Antarctic.

Mrs. Osking, sister of the aviator, is known here as the wife of Florida Foods president, Elmer Osking. Among her friends in Belle Glade is Joan Mueller White, 309 SW 2nd Street, to whom she recently gave a copy of the book by Elinor Nicolai Rolfstad, North Dakota aviator-turned-astronaut.

BROTHER TO THE EAGLE is a moving story of the aviator who lost his life in Siberia in 1929 in a heroic attempt to make a flight. There is a preface by Sir Hubert Wilkins, prefacing the book, who lived "briefly but memorably."

Before his death at the age of 32, Eielson had been awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor, the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Harmon Trophy for 1928, the International League of Aviators 1928 award, and a number of other honors from the kings and rulers of Europe.

As pilot for George Hubert Wilkins, he was the first to fly a plane "over the roof of the world." This he did in a 2200-mile non-stop flight from Fairbanks, Alaska to Green Harbor, Spitzbergen, April 16, 1928.

Earlier, he had earned phenomenal laurels. He was first to fly air mail in Alaska, first to prove the commercial value of air transport in that Territory, first to fly in Alaska during Arctic winter, first to land a wheeled airplane on snow, first to land a plane on the frozen Arctic Sea, and first to fly over the Antarctic; for after the Spitzbergen flight, he went with Sir Hubert to explore the Weddell Sea area of the Antarctic.

"But," says the publisher's note on this book by a North Dakotan about a North Dakotan, "it wasn't Ben Eielson flying achievements that endeared him to people as much as it was his friendly, modest self. . . . the Ben the kids and old ladies loved, the Ben who practiced debating while he milked the cows, the Ben who walked in his sleep, the Ben who amazed Minnesota and North Dakota country fair crowds with the antics of his barnstorming Jenny, the Ben who hopped about Alaska's uncharted skyways in his frail, carver-winged plane carrying gold dust, newspapers, medicine, sick soundings, and expectant mothers."

"This was the Ben who flew to his death in an Arctic blizzard on a rescue flight to the fur-trading ship Nanuk, caught in the ice off the coast of Siberia." Brother to the Eagle, published by Lantern Books, Alexandria, is a fascinating and deeply moving book.

"The Oldest House in St. Augustine" is now a museum, and historians believe it to have been built in the late sixteenth century. It has an unbroken chain of titles dating back to 1763.

"The wages of economic sin are debt and taxes." —Irrving S. Olds, former chairman of U. S. Fish and Wildlife Commission.

LATTER DAY SAINTS CONFERENCE SUNDAY

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints South Bay will suspend all services for Sunday, September 7, to participate in the Latter Day Saints Quarterly Conference at the Alhambra Lions Club, 4343 N. W. 17th Ave., Miami.

District President Robert B. Sorenson, now recuperating from a surgical operation, will preside, providing he is sufficiently recovered.

Lacy D. Croft presided over the Union Meeting at Fort Lauderdale Sunday in the absence of President Sorenson.

The Union Meeting was attended by Harvey Wiggin of Belle Glade, and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Herring of Hooker's Point. A large delegation from the Glades Church is expected to be in attendance at the Quarterly Conference.

IVAN WILLIS NARROWLY ESCAPES LOSS OF EYE IN MOCK WAR GAME

War games played by a gang of boys can be as dangerous as the real thing, and the innocent bystander can be injured just as easily.

Ivan Willis, four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Willis was hospitalized Wednesday, with eye injuries received in a mock war game played by a group of boys, and their pocketknives carved out darts and spears from maiden cane stalks, the boys used their pocketknives as weapons at each other, when one of the flying darts struck Ivan in the eye.

The boy was brought home from hospital last Sunday. He is feared that the sight might have been injured or blinded, but it is now apparent that the injury, though severe, will not permanently affect his eyesight.

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SO BEAUTIFUL, SO OFFENSIVE

The Water Hyacinth, that beautiful purple-blooming flower, is a sweeping scourge that is costing the State an estimated \$10,000,000 a year in hunting and fishing opportunities, according to a survey by the Director of the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission.

Mr. Mouchlin said the State has nearly 200,000 acres of potentially fishable fresh waters, but more than 250,000 of these waters have been damaged or ruined by water hyacinths in the last six decades.

He said the garages, lawns and flowers have crept from lake to stream and stream to lake trying to satisfy its insatiable appetite.

Out of every 100 acres of water in Florida, 2 to 3 acres are seriously infested with hyacinths; for every acre actually infested, three more are blocked off and rendered useless for any practical purpose.

According to the latest available reports, Florida contains a total of 62,991 acres of hyacinth-infested waters. The weeds have reached their wayward way more than 55 of the counties and have spread their tentacles into 530 of the 1,500 creeks and rivers.

Of the total acreage of plagued waters, 21,034 are classed as moderate (less than 50 per cent open water but fairly accessible); 22,801 as dense (only a few patches of open water); and 14,289 as very dense (solid impenetrable mass of hyacinths). These figures were recorded by the U. S. Engineers in this state from aerial maps charted and pin-pointed by observers on a two-year survey.

A year before the Engineers started their survey, Congress asked the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service to give some study to the game and fish angle of Florida's hyacinth problem. The report was submitted four years ago and the Federal service estimated that the hyacinth infestation cost the State more than \$5,000,000 a year in hunting and fishing opportunities.

This report was based on conditions four years ago, when the fishing pressure was less than half what it is today, and since then the green scourge has traveled up and down and across the state strangling one waterway after another in its deadly march.

Hyacinths are destructive of fish and game in many ways. They prevent growth of desirable aquatic vegetation by blocking the sunlight; they block off normal aeration; they're great friends of rats, for they furnish gamefish to congregate in small open stretches of water where the bass and bream are pre-fire targets for the predators, the gar and mudfish can breathe air and they survive in the stagnant water and the hyacinths destroy the balance of the water destroying the shoal-water spawning grounds of bass.

The purple-blooming flower fishermen whether he is a rod-and-reel, a fly-rodder, or spin-

caster, but the hardest hit of all is the cane-poler, for the roadside pits, canals and small ponds in which he fishes are most susceptible to this weed infestation and will eventually be ruined if the pest is not controlled.

Experts figure that about one-third of our fresh water duck marshes are either infested or directly threatened by the green menace, for these surface covering plants kill the all-important marginal duck food plants.

Water hyacinths are no one-sided menace. They strike at a dozen different interests from a dozen different angles. Commerce, flood control, irrigation, agriculture, fish and wildlife and even public health — all are vital to the state and all are beset by this "beautiful flower."

These cold facts are just a few of the many reasons the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission is starting its hyacinth control program, and Mr. Mouchlin said that with the cooperation of interested sportsmen and civic groups, much progress could be shown during the coming year in stopping this paralytic and suffocant of our lakes and streams.

NEGRO NEWS

REGISTRATION SET LAKE SHORE ELEMENTARY

Registration for the 1952-53 school term at Lake Shore Elementary School has been set for Monday, September 8, at 8:30 a. m. It was announced this week by Charles McCurdy, principal.

All parents of beginning pupils are urged to bring with their children certificates of birth if he will be six years of age or before January 31.

New additions to the Lake Shore faculty are Miss Jacqueline Thomas, who received her training at Florida A. & M. College, and Miss Thelma Hummel, a recent graduate of Bethune-Cookman College. They will teach fourth and sixth grades respectively.

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HELP YOUR "SILENT POLICEMAN" present night traffic accidents and discourage prowlers. If you want to sharpen your aim or develop your throwing arm, don't pick on your friends, the streetlights.

PLAY SAFE! Keep clear of utility poles and lines. Don't throw things at or near them. Be especially careful about flying model planes and kites with metal strings. Fly them in the open, away from electric lines... or somebody might get hurt... even killed.

SAVE YOUR EYES! Be sure you've got a good modern study lamp and plenty of light. Remind your folks your eyes must last a lifetime... light is priceless, light is cheap.

GROWN-UPS, TOO! You can help in School Safety Programs. Remember the ABC's: Always Be Careful. Drive slow through School Zones. Obey Safety Patrols at all times!

FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY

Little Red Car Gets Attention

A tiny automobile, fire-engine red, has been parked in front of the rooming house at 125 SW Avenue B for the last several weeks. The car, an English MG, belongs to Bob Deininger, a native of Wisconsin, who has worked for the Army Engineers in Florida for a year and a half. Stationed in Fort Lauderdale, Deininger has been working here since the beginning of August on core drilling for the Central and South Florida Flood Control District.

His car, a diminutive convertible which attracts attention wherever he goes, is probably the first MG ever to be seen in Belle Glade, although in Europe and in the northern US, MG's are no rarity.

Mrs. Ruth Barron, Deininger's landlady, threatens laughingly to "pick up the car and put it in her pocket."

Apparently MG's arouse protective feelings in most boons. Deininger who has been interested in sports cars only little more than a year, now avidly follows the motor news, keeps track of international races such as the annual Mille Miglia (thousand miles) in Italy, the trials at LeMans, France. He bought the MG second-hand, in Lauderdale because, for its size, "its performance is superb."

The MG costs about \$2,000 (new), and averages 25 miles to the gallon, which with gasoline prices as they are, counts for something. It is also practically indestructible, will run 80 miles an hour, though its comfortable cruising speed is around 60. It doesn't pay to push a little car. This particular MG has gone 23,000 miles—15,000 of them driven by Deininger, including a trip to California via Wisconsin.

SIX GLADES RESERVE
(Continued from Page 1)
The supply services included Transportation Corps, Engi-

neers, Medics, a Hospital Unit, Chemical Warfare, Criminal Investigation, Army Postal Units, and Military Police.

The daily operations of the 1,000 men taking part in the encampment were according to a master training schedule drawn up under Capt. W. A. Wooten, Plans and Operations Officer. Major E. M. Lively, Intelligence Officer, supervised the maintenance of maps of the area, and the investigation of subversive activities among the group. Major Maurice Fleeter was a Transportation Officer; Warrant Officer, Julius T. Harris, Personnel Officer; and 1st Lt. George Wedgworth, Special Services Officer, and 1st Lt. Emmett A. Roberts, Quartermaster, Property Officer.

The biggest single service in the coordinated training activities was an Engineer Brigade of 500 men, who built Bailey bridges, floating bridges, and made repairs.

For two days the Reservists took part in field problems, a simulated attack by aggressive force planes.

Every day problems were those of food and materials, transport, of postal service, of payment, of policing.

On the lighter side, the Officers' Club served meals; there were a swimming pool, and five or six movie houses with the latest films.

Camp Rucker, 27 miles west of Dothan, Alabama, is "pretty much in a scarcely populated area," Emmett Roberts said. All Reservists were happy about the two parties arranged by George Wedgworth as Special Services Officer, who put on a picnic for officers, and another for enlisted men.

Reservists from this area are all veterans of World War II, with the exception of Wedgworth, who took his ROTC training at Michigan State, but who has not yet been called to active duty.

Describing the Reservists as the backbone of defense, Emmett Roberts pointed out that they are all on M-plus-30 call, which means that in case of general mobilization, they would be called to duty within 30 days.

Hurricane Emergency Information For Your Protection . . .

If you observe the following precautions, you need have little fear of an approaching storm.

1. If you feel insecure in your home, go to your nearest Red Cross shelter. Evacuate exposed beaches and islands early. Pre-storm tides may cut you off.

2. Take blankets and pillows to shelter. If special diets or baby formulas are needed, take materials with you. Only emergency rations will be provided.

3. Pets cannot be taken to shelters, so be sure to leave plenty of food and water for them.

4. If you are staying home, remove or lash awnings, and close shutters. If you are boarded up, use strong lumber and nail securely. Brace French doors.

5. Collect and place indoors loose objects such as garbages.

Washbowl Facial Soothes Complexions Into Summer Prettiness



If you don't want to be face to face with trouble, you'll take your summer sun in installments and plan a "babby" campaign for your tanned skin.

To counter-balance the parching heat of mid-July and keep sun rays from lining your face with tiny dry lines, take a few minutes occasionally to give your face a skin-boosting bath.

Stand your hair out of the way (you might even pin it back with a clip). Then splash a plentiful amount of lukewarm water over your face and neck. Now bend over a bowl full of steaming water.

Canes, yard tools and porch furniture.

6. Check candles, lamps and flashlight batteries. Check emergency cooking facilities and be sure adequate fuel is on hand. Lay in a supply of canned foods and milk. Electric service may be damaged or shut off as a safety precaution if wires reach hurricane force.

7. Conserve refrigeration. Turn your box and freezer to cold and leave on as long as possible. Open only when absolutely necessary and close quickly. Refrigerators and close freezers will stay cold much longer if these precautions are taken.

8. Your water supply may fail. Sterilize your bathtub and other containers and fill with water.

9. Fill your car with gasoline.

10. As the storm progresses, listen to your radio for frequent advisories from the weather bureau and the Disaster Committee of your Red Cross. These are official. Do not spread rumors.

11. While storm winds blow, stay inside. Keep a door or window open on the side away from the wind. Be quick to close it if the wind changes direction and open one on the other side.

12. Use flashlights if possible. A gust of wind might upset a lamp or candle and cause of fire.

13. If the storm center passes

do not jam the telephone system to report interruptions in individual electric, gas, water and telephone service. Utility companies have plans for complete service restoration. Report individual trouble only after services are back on in your neighborhood.

17. Do report immediately hazardous conditions such as live electric wires and broken gas and water mains.

18. Use extreme caution with emergency lighting or cooking flames to avoid fire hazards.

19. Protect your health. Boil water before drinking.

FRIER NEW ASSISTANT MANAGER OF KILGORE'S
Huell Frier has been appointed assistant manager of the Kilgore Seed Company, it was announced this week by Milton Burry. The appointment was effective Sept. 1. According to Burry, Kilgore manager, Frier succeeds Leonard Douglas, who has gone to Salisbury, Md. to open a new branch store for Kilgore's parent company, Associated Seed Growers. Mr. Douglas, his wife and three children, left Belle Glade on August 25.

Frier, who has been two years with Kilgore and has proved his capabilities, was the logical one to succeed Douglas, the Kilgore manager said.

Mr. Burry also announces that C. W. Crosby has joined the Kilgore staff as a clerk.

National Planning Association authorities report numerous experiments show that the yield of corn, cotton, hay or other crops may be increased from 50 to more than 200 per cent by one application of fertilizer.

Vote for

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As a citizen of Belle Glade I am deeply interested in the welfare of our community and I pledge myself to you for wholehearted and unselfish service for the office I seek.

Our community is continually growing and expanding, and I am in favor of improving the environment in which our children live. Our community must be a progressive community. For example I am in favor of the following and will step forward with sound and sober thinking to consider same:

- an adequate swimming pool
- a city manager
- a progressive sidewalk program
- playground and park improvements for both our white and colored people
- more adequate drainage for the entire city
- culverts in the main drainage ditches near residential areas
- a new bridge across the canal near the high school

I will at all times give the best that I have to consider the many problems that confront our commission. Your vote and support will help me to serve.

Thank you,

William A. Thiebaud

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RE-ELECT

Walter Ashley

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4. A man who understands the problems of the farmer, merchant, and property owner.
5. A man who wants and will appreciate your vote.

You Can Depend On

Milton Burry

CANDIDATE FOR CITY COMMISSION, CENTRAL BOROUGH

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Citizens of Belle Glade

The progress and improvements of the past two years speak for themselves. I am proud that I have had a part in bringing them into being.

Now I would like to point out some of the projects that I will diligently work for in the next two years, if re-elected.

1. A sidewalk on West Lake Road from Main Street past the school, to protect the lives of our children.
2. Extension of Avenue A to connect with the new highway in Chosen, to divert traffic through the business section, which will bring many dollars to Belle Glade.
3. I will cooperate with any group or groups to make a swimming pool for our children a reality, not a dream. IT CAN BE DONE.
4. More streets, sidewalks, and drainage, city-wide.

If you approve of the work already completed and would like to continue the progressive trend,

PULL LEVER 1-A Tuesday, Sept. 9, and

RE-ELECT

W. F. "Billy" CRIDER

Commissioner from North Borough

I will appreciate your vote and support

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Too Late To Classify

By Russell Kay

Some guys never learn and you can put me down in that category. While I know from experience that no place on earth has more to offer than Florida, summer or winter, every so often I go haywire and let friends and relatives talk me

into leaving the state. Every time I do I'm sorry. Last month I took a trip to Virginia with planned stops in Georgia and the Carolinas. Leaving comfortable and conditioned, Florida I drove north on the coastal route and the farther I got away from Florida the hotter it got. Stopping for gas at Savannah I noted the thermometer in the

gas station read 105 at noon. Sights on the route were pitiful, corn was burnt up in the fields, cotton plants half grown, were withering in the heat. Pasture lands were burnt up. The air that rushed in through our car windows couldn't have been any hotter if it had come directly from the mouth of a blast furnace. And it was that stifling, muggy, sticky kind of heat that settles over you like a blanket and makes you feel like a cross between an over-worked dishrag and a baked potato.

Thinking that Myrtle Beach would probably be as cool a spot as we could find for the night, we drove there and began looking for an air-conditioned court or motel. We found about there aren't very many air-conditioned places available.

After ringing doorbells and asking questions from one end of the beach to the other, we finally located one place where they had, or said they had, an air-conditioned room. It was available at \$10 a night double. We took it. It was too hot and uncomfortable to stand around with the sweat trickling off our nose and down our back and argue about the price.

Being an alleged air-conditioned room, it had been closed up tight all day. When the proprietor opened the door we stepped into what might just as well have been a three-alarm fire as far as heat was concerned.

Stepping over to a window-box conditioner the guy turned the thing on and assured us we would be as cool as proverbial numbers in a few minutes. Well, anyhow, that conditioner tried. It hummed and buzzed and shook and shivered to no avail.

We decided to give the poor contraption a chance, so we went out to eat figuring that when we returned the room would be cooled off. Walking down the beach we just couldn't help comparing it with Daytona.

Clearwater, Panama City and other delightful Florida summer resorts. It was pitiful. The sand was coarse and heavy; the beach narrow, the buildings old and weather-beaten. A discouraged ocean made no effort to waft any breezes landward; it knew it was licked before it started.

Returning to our room we found the faithful little window-box conditioner huffing and puffing like mad but the room itself seemed as hot as if not hotter than it was when we left. We thought of getting in the car and driving all night. It probably would have been more enjoyable than lying around most of the night like we did trying to kick and toss ourselves to sleep. And this, my friends, was what is laughingly termed a summer vacation trip.

We fared better in Virginia. My friend Vernon Ramsey, who spends a lot of time in Florida, had learned about attic fans and had installed two of them in his house. Then he has a nice little boat on Chesapeake Bay and took us on a trip the next day. Evidence of Old Sol's destruction was visible in Virginia just as it was in Georgia and the Carolinas. Crops were almost a total loss in some areas with no relief in sight.

Stopping in Fayetteville, N. C., to pick up our daughter who had been visiting her husband at Ft. Bragg, we hit the only jack-pot on the trip. It was a sure enough air-conditioned court where the proprietor has sense enough to keep it in operation all the time. Our room was cool and comfortable and the rate was only \$7 double. It was about 100 in the shade outdoors and we felt sorry for the boys in barracks where the temperature was about 120.

Heading for western North Carolina we thought we would find better weather there. Just to make sure we would not forget Florida, Mother Nature turned on the heat again. When we reached Columbia the temperature was 110 in the shade. Air-conditioning was scarce and far between. It is so cool and delightful, according to the natives, you don't need it there. Well, somehow we lived through another night and then turned tail and ran for home the next day. A glorious thunder shower greeted us at the Florida line. I used to hate driving in the rain, but brother this was one time I enjoyed it. I'll "Stay at Home and Play at Home" from now on.

ROMANCE IN STORY OF THE TOMATO

In his September column, Plant Lore, in Florida Grower Magazine, S. C. Hood, a lifelong student of plants, tells the story of the ordinary tomato, and its value to human life. Years ago there were many who were "agin" it, saying it caused falling of the hair, cancer and many other ills -- which it does not. The tomato was developed by the same ancient Peruvian plant breeders who brought the equally humble potato into the food of mankind and many domestic animals. As late as 1856 the tomato was grown as an ornamental; it is mentioned in Miller's Gardening Dictionary in 1724, and "many people were using it." In 1778 Thomas Jefferson reported a new ribbed form of the vegetable, but conservative New England didn't "take to" the tomato until 1835 when it was sold in a dozen markets in Boston.

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Citizens and Voters

THE PLATFORM:

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We need a swimming pool in Belle Glade. Our youth are the backbone of our community. They have been neglected too long.

Belle Glade needs a City Manager. Who runs a \$300,000 a year business without a full time boss?

Belle Glade needs a well planned drainage system, plus a sewerage and disposal plant for which we now have plans that are paid for.

We need middle of the road government. No favoritism, regardless of the Race, Creed, Color, or Religious affiliations; a square deal for all.

We need harmony, dignity and good business judgment in our City government.

THE RECORD:

Four years on the City Commission. Mayor one year.

DO YOU REMEMBER when the city had an old truck and a few picks and shovels? During my term on the team, we bought and paid for almost \$50,000 worth of street-building equipment and built more streets than ever before or since.

DO YOU REMEMBER when the city had an old garbage packer? During my term on the team, we bought and repaired, and came up with a fully equipped Sanitation Department second to none.

DO YOU REMEMBER when the city had only one equipped fire truck plus...? During my term on the team, we bought fire trucks, hose, and other fire-fighting equipment, and now have a Fire Department second to none.

DO YOU REMEMBER our parks and playgrounds? During my term with the team, we started the present system of parks and playgrounds that are now second to none.

DO YOU REMEMBER when the city had a hard time hiring the right kind of people to work, as their jobs would last only from administration to administration? During my term with the team Civil Service came to the city. Today employees, as long as they do their work properly, can have security for themselves and their families.

DO YOU REMEMBER when it was almost an impossibility to live in Belle Glade in the summer time? During my term with the team, we instituted the regular spraying of our city for flies and mosquitoes.

DO YOU REMEMBER when the city had a couple of old cars and maybe one or two policemen? During my term with the team, we bought and equipped new cars with two-way radios, equipped the Police Department with a complete finger-printing outfit, brought the force up to eight men and a chief, purchased the present police headquarters; and we now have a Police Department we can all be proud of.

During my term with the team, US Highway No. 441 was brought through Belle Glade because of my personal contact with the members of the State Road Department and the help of the other three-man committee that took time out to go to Panama City for that express purpose.

Yes! This progress and lots more was made during my term with the team; and at the same time we reduced the tax levy from 16 mills to 12 mills.

THE MAN:

Member of the Belle Glade Rotary Club. Charter member of the Elks Club. Charter member of the trustees of the Elks Club. Twice appointed, once three years, now five years, to the Harry-Anna Crippled Children's Home Committee, Umatilla, Florida. 32nd Degree Mason, Member Lake Worth Consistory. Member of the Shrine, Mahi Temple, Miami. Charter member of the Country Club. Honorary member of the Florida National Guard. Three times appointed by your Governor as member of the Southwestern Palm Beach County Hospital Board. Three times unanimously elected as its chairman by this distinguished group. Leader and active in my religious group. A participant in all civic activities of the community, who has tried to do his utmost to promote the welfare of the City of Belle Glade and all its citizens.

I earnestly and sincerely ask each and every qualified voter to consider the qualifications, and vote for me as your Commissioner from North Borough next Tuesday, September 9.

Respectfully,

Harold J. Rabin

The All-Around Candidate.

Paid Pol. Adv.

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City of Belle Glade, Fla.

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Miss Patricia Helen Rogers of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rogers of Oklawaha, is spending a few weeks in Buffalo, N. Y. as the house guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Lieut. Colonel and Mrs. H. B. Hooper. Mrs. Hooper will be remembered here as Christine Rogers. Col. Hooper is commanding officer of the Marine Reserve Squadron at Niagara Falls Naval Air Station.

Called here last week by the tragic death of Lawrence L. Simmons was Mrs. Simmons' father, E. L. Elliott, of Fort Myers, her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Moore and daughter Sarah of Fort Myers; her daughter, Mrs. Peggy Crosby of Clinton, S. C.; her sons, James and Hilton Mott of Gainesville; and five brothers of the deceased, Henry and Howard Simmons of Plant City, Edward, Jensen, and Hobson of Bradenton. Another brother, Ernest Simmons of Water Valley, Mississippi, and a sister, Mrs. Edith Barnes, of Falls, Colo., were unable to come.

AM 2/c William D. Brown and his bride Peggy have returned to his home near Pensacola, where they will make their home for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Bennett and three children have moved here from Fort Pierce and have taken the "Cecere cottage."

Beverly Ward, who has been a guest of Martha Walker for several weeks, returned to her home in Orlando last week. She will enter school in Cross City this week.

Mrs. R. L. Brown has returned from an extended visit with her mother in Gastonia, N. C. She also had treatment for a digestive tract ailment.

First-grade children registered at the school on Wednesday, Sept. 3. All other grades will register on Monday, Sept. 8, in their regular class rooms from 8:30 to 12 o'clock.

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THEATRE

WEEK OF SEPT. 7 TO SEPT. 13
SUN. - MON. - TUES.
Sept. 7-8-9

"LET'S DANCE"
Betty Hutton, Fred Astaire
also

"TARZAN AND THE SLAVE GIRL"
WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY
Sept. 10-11

"APACHE DRUMS"
Stephen McNally
also

"YES SIR, MR. BONES"
FRIDAY-SATURDAY
Sept. 12-13

"FORT OSAGE"
Rod Cameron
also

"LET'S GO NAVY"
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"JACK AND THE BEAN-STALK"
Abbott and Costello
TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY
Sept. 9-10

"FBI GIRL"
Audrey Totter
also

"REUNION IN RENO"
Peggy Dow
THURSDAY-FRIDAY
Sept. 11-12

"AT SWORD'S POINT"
Cornel Wilde, Maureen O'Hara
SATURDAY
Sept. 13

"COLORADO SUNDOWN"
Ren Allen
also
"HURRICANE ISLAND"
Jon Hall

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allen, Clifford Allen, daughter Susan and Mrs. Justina Burns attended the regular monthly pot luck dinner and business meeting of the 40 & 8 in West Palm Beach last week.

Bill Miller of Okeechobee is spending the last three weeks of his vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Barnes and his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo B. Higgins.

Mrs. Marie Mullin of Miami Beach is visiting her daughter, son-in-law and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bowen and family.

Dr. and Mrs. Russell D. Hoover of West Palm Beach visited his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Willis and family on Friday.

Mr. Alfred Vadasz, daughter Karol accompanied by her mother, Mrs. B. M. Pender, and daughter Karen Vadasz, who have been visiting relatives and friends at Poach Orchard, Ark., during the summer, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene E. Hadry, Cherry and Bert are leaving shortly for Lakeland, where he will enter the Southern Bible Institute as a student on Sept. 10.

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here for carrying out the local program; and that the proceeds were to go toward the maintenance of the Lions Nursery School for blind children and the children of blind parents who are employed at the Lions Industries in West Palm Beach.

The meeting is county-wide, and is held at the County Courthouse in West Palm Beach. Every member to support this good cause, enjoying the Frolic.

Mrs. Barbara was the guest speaker, reporting on the recent organization of Glades Citizens for Highway State and a supper meeting at the Grand on August 22. She stated that a representative group of delegates from Lions Clubs, Parent Teachers Associations, Business and Professional Women's Clubs and other civic organizations in Clewiston, Belle Glade, South Bay, Pahokee and Canal Point met to discuss ways and means of hastening the building of a new concrete bridge at South Bay, Canal Point, Lake Harbor and Six-Mile Bend to replace the one-lane wooden structures which had proved a trap to so many motorists.

A resolution was passed to write letters to State Road Department, officials and to County Commissioners, requesting quick action and to invite them to the next session on Sept. 5 to explain progress. Each delegate was also requested to have clubs with both the SRD and County Commission requesting better warning signs and blinker lights.

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"GROW TO SELL" THEME
OF GROWERS CONVENTION

"Grow to Sell" theme of the 1952 convention of the Florida Fruit and Vegetable Association was explained today by Don Pearce, Miami, president of the Association. The ninth annual convention of FFVA will be held this year at the Casablanca Hotel, Miami, on September 24, 25 and 26, according to Pearce.

Pearce announced that Dr. Eric G. Sharville, Associate of Plant Pathology, Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana, will be a guest speaker. Dr. Sharville is an authority in his field and is also a most entertaining speaker, according to Pearce.

"The theme of our 1952 convention, Grow to Sell, was chosen to emphasize the necessity for growers everywhere to produce vegetables and fruits of proper grade, quality and conditions so that they will sell at a profit to the grower, and to supply consumers with quality produce at a fair price.

"From the grower's point of view, the basic marketing problem for Florida growers is 'Selling large Volume at a Profit.' We also need to sell more Florida vegetables to more people."

"It is necessary to please the customer, the grower, and the wholesaler. Growers must produce goods of the highest quality and encourage repeat business. We must offer quality products at a price that is within the reach of the consumer group for which it is intended."

"The grower-simplified the problem unless we also include the necessity for efficient distribution and the importance of a pre-determined market."

"Florida's farmers already know the necessity of producing the finest quality merchandise. Effort is constantly being made through private and both state and federal research agencies to improve this quality."

"Experts in their fields will present the newest scientific advances at our convention and we shall bring together our own ideas and experiences for the benefit of the entire nation," said Pearce.

Current statistics show that Florida's vegetable crops and miscellaneous fruits and melons are valued at approximately \$155,000,000 annually. This figure does not include citrus.

LEGAL NOTICES
NOTICE TO VACATE PLAT
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SAFETY OPERATION OF TRACTORS PREVENTS LOSS OF LIFE, TIME
Tractors are involved in over half of the farm machinery accidents, according to Louis F. Nieland, farm safety specialist with the Florida Agricultural Extension Service. The principal causes involve falling or being thrown off the tractor, overloading, unsafe operation, traffic rules when operating on the highway.

The National Safety Council points out that safe operation of the 3,000,000 tractors now used on farms could save hundreds of lives and prevent thousands of serious injuries annually.

The tractor operator cannot afford to gamble the loss of a limb or life by operating without the proper take-off shield in place. Carelessness in handling tractors around ditches can start a trip to the hospital.

Jumping of a tractor or making adjustments while the tractor is in motion is another way to invite an accident. Tragedy may result from permitting children to operate or hitch a ride on tractors.

Never refuse a tractor while the motor is running or extremely hot. Avoid leaky fuel lines and accumulations of combustible materials near hot motors or exhausts. Store fuel tanks safely, and always have a fire extinguisher available for an accidental fire.

When operating on the highway, always obey traffic rules and avoid excessive speeds. Stop before entering main highways, and use a red flag high up on the tractor to warn motorists of slow-going equipment. Use headlights and tail-lights after dark.

The State Road Department says that traffic on U. S. Route 441 between Ocala and Leesburg remains at the highest point of any road outside the metropolitan area of Florida with a total of 7,110 average daily volume of motor vehicles.

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VETERANS INFORMATION
AND SERVICE

VETERANS' UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION
The new GI Bill, Public Law 559, contains an unemployment compensation program which is administered through the States by the U. S. Department of Labor. The VA does not handle this program.

Eligibility requirements are: (1) active military service, any place in the world after June 27, 1950; (2) a discharge under conditions other than dishonorable; and (3) at least 90 days' service, unless discharged sooner for a service-connected disability. In addition to these, a veteran must meet all the conditions for eligibility of the State in which he lives.

An unemployed post-Korean veteran may receive payments of \$28 a week, up to a total of 26 weeks or \$676. Payments will be made by the State in which a veteran lives. The Labor Department will pay the money directly to veterans who live in any State that has not entered into an agreement to carry out the program.

The program takes effect 90 days from July 16, 1952, the date the new GI Bill was signed by the President.

A veteran eligible for less than \$28 a week from any other type of Federal or State unemployment program may receive those payments plus enough GI Bill unemployment pay to bring his weekly total up to \$28.

Eligible veterans should contact the nearest State Employment Office to apply for this benefit.

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